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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 17, 2010, consideration of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested. Applicants petition for a three-month extension in the period for response; the required fee is attached. If any other fee is required to consider this response, the undersigned authorizes the fee (or any deficiency therein) to be charged to Deposit Account 14-1140 under Order No. 1579-863.

The **claims** are presented on pages 2-3.

New claims 38-40 are added.

Remarks begin on page 4.